

M.Sc. 3rd Semester Examination, 2011

**BIOMEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCE
AND MANAGEMENT**

PAPER—BLM-301 (Unit-17 ~~200~~)

(Theoretical)

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 hours

Answer all questions

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their
own words as far as practicable*

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

UNIT – 17

MODULE – I

(*Clinical Immunology*)

1. Answer any *five* of the following : 1 × 5
- (a) What TGF - β ?
- (b) Write the full form of IFN- γ .

(Turn Over)

- (c) Write the name of two prostate cancer markers.
 - (d) What is mast cell ?
 - (e) What is hapten ?
 - (f) What is prozone phenomenon ?
 - (g) NK cells –
 - (i) Produce interferon
 - (ii) Produce IL2
 - (iii) All of the above
 - (iv) None of the above.
 - (h) T-Lymphocytes can also be referred to as :
 - (i) Mast cells.
 - (ii) Memory cells.
 - (iii) Phagocytic cells.
 - (iv) Short lined cells.
2. (a) What is the difference between a polyclonal and monoclonal antibody ?
- (b) How do you prepare monoclonal antibody ?
- (c) Write the full form of HGPRT. 2 + 5 +

Or

- (a) What is the significance of blocking in Western blot ?
- (b) Discuss the developmental procedure of autoimmunity of any disease.
- (c) What is CFT ? 1 + 5 + 2

3. (a) What do you mean by zone of equivalence ?
Elaborate it.
- (b) What is neutralization ?
- (c) What is the role of a dendritic cell during antigenic invasion ? 3 + 2 + 2

Or

- (a) Describe the mechanism of an immediate type of hypersensitivity reaction with diagram.
- (b) How cancerous cell prevent itself from immunological defence ? 4 + 3

MODULE – II

(Serology)

4. Answer any five of the following : 1 × 5

(a) All the following methods have been developed to detect the presence of HIV-1 viral gene except :

- (i) RIA
- (ii) Western blot
- (iii) DNA amplification
- (iv) *In situ* hybridization.

(b) CD4⁺ count could be done through :

- (i) Dual platform flow cytometry
- (ii) Capcilia method
- (iii) Coulter counter
- (iv) a and b.

(c) What is co-agglutination test ?

- (d) In the latex agglutination method for the detection of hCG, no agglutination indicates :
- (i) Absence of hCG
 - (ii) Presence of hCG
 - (iii) Positive test
 - (iv) Negative test.
- (e) The presence of IgM to *T. gondii* in an adult is indicative of :
- (i) Carrier state
 - (ii) Active infection
 - (iii) Chronic infection
 - (iv) Latent disease.
- (f) What is the clinical significance of Rose-Waater test ?
- (g) Write the name of a test where toluidine red is used.
- (h) Write the name of two tests where solid phase sandwiched ELISA technique is adopted.
5. (a) How do you detect dengue IgG and IgM and also interpret your result ?

(b) What is RPHA and mention its application.

(4 + 2) +

Or

Describe the method of HIV-detection by Western blot and mention how would you interpret your result.

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6. (a) What is AFP ?

(b) How do you detect AFP by a suitable method ?

(c) Differentiate between RPR and VDRL. 2 + 3 +

Or

(a) How anti-CCP is developed in a RA patient ?

(b) Mention the clinical significance of hs-CRP test.

(c) Mention the demerits of serological detection of tuberculosis.

3 + 2 +

UNIT – 18

MODULE – I

(*Cytotechnology and Cytogenetics*)

1. Answer any five of the following : 1 × 5
- (a) What do you mean by allxochrome ?
 - (b) Define acidic stain.
 - (c) What do you mean by vacuum embedding ?
 - (d) Write the full form of ISEL.
 - (e) Write the full form of FACS.
 - (f) What do you mean by ABC method in immunocytotechnology ?
 - (g) What do you mean by museum in cytopathology ?
 - (h) State one application of TUNEL.
2. (a) Write the names of different techniques of smear preparation.
- (b) State the fundamental steps adopted in PAP staining.

- (c) Write the cytoarchitectural differences between normal and cancer epithelial cells. 2

Or

- (a) Write the principle for the detection of cell marker molecule by immunofluorescence technique.

- (b) State the steps adopted in ABC technique.

- (c) Write the advantages of automated tissue processor. 3

3. (a) What do you mean by inborn error of metabolism?

- (b) How do you detect the inborn error of metabolism by cytological technique?

Or

- (a) What do you mean by NA of a compound microscope?

- (b) Write the working principle of compound microscope.

- (c) Name any two fluorescence molecules used for labelling purpose in FACS. 2

MODULE – II

(*Histotechnology*)

4. Answer any *five* of the following : 1 × 5
- (a) Write the importance of honing.
 - (b) Which stain is used to investigate depot fat in tissue ?
 - (c) Write the full form of PTAH.
 - (d) Write the composition of Bouin's fixative.
 - (e) Write the names of any two clearing agents used in histology.
 - (f) What do you mean by infiltration ?
 - (g) Write the application of 'Giemsa' staining.
 - (h) Write the full form of DPX.
5. (a) Write the application of graded dehydration.
- (b) How do you prepare 500 ml of 80% alcohol from 70% alcohol and absolute alcohol ?
- (c) Write the importance about the use of clearing agent. 3 + 2 + 3

Or

- (a) Write in brief of PAS stain preparation.
 - (b) State the steps adopted in PAS staining.
 - (c) Write the applied value of PAS staining. 3 -
6. (a) Write the bio-physical forces (bonds) respons for bonding the stain molecule with tar molecule.
- (b) Write the decalcification process in connect with fixation of bone.

Or

- (a) Write the application of frozen sections ?
 - (b) Write the ZN staining method and write application.
 - (c) Write the application of Microwave techno in histology. 2
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